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B. H. BRISTOW,

SUBJECT TO THE DECISION OF THE

TRADE DOLLAR SCARE.

The San Francisco *Chronicle* contains this piece of news, which if true, will be hailed with delight by all. "The trade dollar scare has spent its force. The manipulators of percentages have made some hand some turns within the past ten days, generally at the expense of those least able to afford a discount upon their apportionment. From the principal interior towns comes the intelligence that the merchants who were thrown into such a fever of excitement over the probable result of the depreciation in silver, and who were so forward in posting notices in their places of business, "Trade dollars taken at 90 cents," now announce, "Trade dollars taken at par."

A large number of merchants in Sacramento stuck up signs reading, "Trade dollars taken for ninety cents, but they have taken those signs down now, says the *Bre*, and are quite willing to freeze to good, square trade dollars. Dealers who have had no reason to complain at the money they have made.

The claimant of the land occupied by the Centennial buildings has appeared. We knew he would show himself before long. The land claimant is an American institution which should by all means be exhibited at the Centennial. He says the land was deeded to his father in 1801, for \$480, but he will take \$15,000,000 and say nothing more about it.

In the contest among marksmen as to who should represent California at the Centennial International match, Captain H. J. Burns, of the Sumner Guard, is ahead, his record thus far being in excess of the 80 per cent required.

The latest handship in Cuba is a Government decree which establishes an income tax of thirty per cent. This, with other taxes, will leave the people about ten per cent of their property for themselves.

There is a deficiency of \$42,000 in the accounts of the Government Printing office at Washington. The office also received about \$80,000 a year for cuttings and wastage which has not been accounted for.

In view of the great discount on silver the employees of the Central Pacific Railroad are talking of petitioning the company to open a store in Sacramento.

A JURY empaneled to try a case in the District Court of Lincoln county had to be discharged, as the Proctors would not take county serip in payment for their board.

THE BLACK-HILLS FRAUD.

There seems to be evidence enough now to warrant the verdict that the Black Hills country as a gold-field is a fraud. The enterprising town of Cheyenne may have the credit of holding back the verdict for so long. Every unfavorable report concerning the Hills met with a prompt denial from her, and for very substantial (if not very good) reasons. Cheyenne has been the great starting point for the Dorado; in her stores and groceries the adventurer has laid in his supplies, and in her stables he has paid three prices for the necessary mules and horses. She also has furnished the captains and guides for the wagon trains, and altogether has turned a very pretty penny by the Black Hills business. Her glowing accounts, however, of what may be found in the Hills can not stand before the numerous personal experiences of what can not be found, and no quantity of bills, circulars and double headed newspaper items can stand before the numerous procession of dead broke miners which is now pouring to the land of gold. The Comstock miners who recently abandoned their intention of a rush to the Black Hills, until they could obtain better information about them, did well.—Va. *Chronicle*.

NEWS NOTES.

Grant has lost faith in Babcock. The President has signed the Silver Currency Bill.

Gold Hill has 1152 registered votes.

A riot in Limerick and forty persons badly injured.

Professor W. F. Stewart is convalescent and able to be out once more.

No Bank of California stock was delinquent on the third assessment Monday. Every stockholder paid up.

Isaac W. Credit has been appointed Sheriff of Lander county, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John H. Emory.

Col. James G. Fair is in Iowa, where he has a sister living. He will shortly return to Virginia.

J. T. Ramsey, formerly postmaster at Eureka, has become insane, and was placed in the California Asylum at Stockton.

Col. Bridgeland, counsel to Havre, is the latest "B" who is being investigated at Washington. He is charged with irregularities in office while internal revenue supervisor in Texas. "How doth the little busy B etc."

The Original Comstock Gold and Silver Mining Company has incorporated with a capital of \$10,000,000, divided into 100,000 shares. Trustees—R. Pacheco, D. A. McDonald, J. H. Gilmore, M. L. McDonald and W. B. Murdoch.

The following named gentlemen have been elected Directors of the Oregon and California Railroad Company: W. L. Halsey, Ben Holladay, H. Threlkeld, G. W. Wendler, C. H. Lewis, R. Kochler and S. F. Chadwick.

Several Chinamen are now engaged in rafting on the Humboldt river. Firewood is scarce in the vicinity of Winnemucca, and the Chinese do not care to pay the price which it commands in the market, willows are plentiful up the river, and the provident Celestials cut and trim them and tie them up in bundles, which they fashion into a raft and float down the river. Two of them ride on each raft and guide it.

FEARFUL STATE OF SLAVERY.

We give below a translation of an agreement presented to the Senate Commission of Chinese Immigration the other day. It ought to cause the Caucasian race to rise as one man to expel entirely any race who would practice such villainy.

"An agreement to assist a young girl named Lai Yan, because she became indebted to her mistress for passage, food, etc., and has nothing to pay, she makes her body over to the woman Sep. Sam to serve as a prostitute to make out the sum of \$500. The money shall draw no interest and Lai Yan shall receive no wages. Lai Yan shall serve 4½ years. On this day of agreement Lai Yan receives the sum of \$500 in her own hands. When the time is out Lai Yan may be her own master, and no man shall trouble her. If she runs away before the time is out and any expense is incurred in catching her then Lai Yan must pay the expense. If she is sick fifteen days or more, she shall make up one month for every ten days. If Sep. Sam should go back to China, then Lai Yan shall serve another party till her time is out. If in such service she should be sick 100 days or more and can not be cured, she may return to Sep. Sam's place. For a proof of this agreement this paper Lai Yan Dated 2d month of the present year.

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THERE IS A DEFICIENCY OF \$42,000 IN THE ACCOUNTS OF THE GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE AT WASHINGTON. THE OFFICE ALSO RECEIVED ABOUT \$80,000 A YEAR FOR CUTTINGS AND WASTAGE WHICH HAS NOT BEEN ACCOUNTED FOR.

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